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Banks of County Make Good Showing

In the statements of the eight banks of Fayette county published in this issue of The Falcon there is shown a most excellent financial condition. The total of deposit runs almost to a million and a half dollars and the banks have a large amount of cash on hand to meet the needs of their customers during the coming year. Loans are high for this season of the year, but there is the usual amount of cash in the strong boxes of the several banks for the conduct of the business of the county. The Fayette County Bank continues in the lead of the banks of the county, with deposits far above half a million dollars. The Moscow Savings Bank holds second place with \$197,000 of deposits and the Somerville Bank & Trust Company has gained third place, with \$195,000 of deposits. The latter bank has gained the most in percent of deposits among the banks of the county since the last statement was made. All the banks show good gains in deposits and in total business, large loan accounts with large cash reserves, and a general excellent condition throughout.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonic known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, etc. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Barber-Freeman

Tuesday night, March 2nd 1920 in Connell's Penny Store at Eads, Tenn., Mr. George Wesley Barber was united in marriage to Miss Clara May Freeman, Esq. C. R. Connell performing the ceremony. Mr. Barber is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Barber of the Fisherville community and the bride is the eldest daughter of the writer who wishes them a long and happy life.

W. W. FREEMAN

OUR CITIZENS DEMAND

Fully Complied With.—A Somerville Resident Furnished It.

There are few items which appear in this paper more important to Somerville people than the statement published below. In the first place, it is from a citizen of Somerville and can be thoroughly relied upon. In the second place, it indisputably proves that Doan's Kidney Pills do their work thoroughly and not temporarily. Read this carefully: W. H. Leach, Sr. merchant, S. Main St. says: "I had an attack of the grip, and I think it left my kidneys weak. I suffered from attacks of backache and the trouble was always worse in cold weather. I also had dizzy spells. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got a box, and began to use them. It didn't take Doan's long to entirely cure me and I gladly recommend them." Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills the same that Mr. Leach had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs. Buffalo, N. Y. adv.

Notice

Strayed from my home, one small mouse colored mare mule about 14 hands high, \$5.00 reward for return or information where she is. Write Mrs. Lizzie Denziston, Warren, Tenn., 3-19

Has Had Stomach Trouble For Seven Years.

Theodore Sanford of Fenmore Mich. has had stomach trouble for seven years and could not eat vegetables or fruit without pain in the stomach and restless nights. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets he is now able to eat vegetables or fruit without causing pain or sleeplessness. If troubled with indigestion or constipation give these tablets a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial. Adv.

New County Agent For Colored Work

Rebecca Davis arrived in Somerville last week to take up the work of County Home Demonstration Agent among the colored people of this county, being assigned as an assistant to the County Agent, Miss Annie Brasfield. The new agent's work is to be among the colored people entirely. She is furnished and paid by the Extension Department of the Department of Agriculture, the department having decided to make a test of the efficacy of such agents among the colored people. She is the only such agent in West Tennessee and this county was chosen to make the test of the work because of its large colored population. She has been County Supervisor in Lauderdale county and before going there was a teacher in the County Training School here. She is thoroughly qualified for her work and has a wonderful opportunity for doing some good among her people in this county.

William Davis was recently sent here as assistant to the County Farm Demonstration Agent on the same basis as is the new Home Demonstration Assistant and comes to work among the colored people of the county without cost to the county or its citizens, his work being to try out the plan of the colored worker in that line.

We have had for several years Margaret Ware as Jeanes Supervisor who is paid almost entirely from the Jeanes Fund, the state, and other outside sources. Her work is in school organization and direction and she works under and reports to the County Superintendent of schools.

This gives to Fayette county five agents working for the upbuilding of country life, such a number as probably no other county in the state has, two white and three colored, and as time goes on we expect to see the work of these agents of the Government tell in the better progress made by those living in the country and the towns of Fayette county, for the towns are but larger country communities drawn together.

Statement of the Condition of The Fayette County Bank

Located at Somerville, Tennessee, at the close of business Feb. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$501,459.41
Overdrafts	2,735.54
Bonds and stocks	75,118.51
Banking House	17,800.00
Furniture and fixtures	7,553.20
Other real estate	350.00
Actual cash on hand	\$10,099.65
Due from banks and bankers on demand	43,082.31
Exchanges for clearing house	2,893.64
Other resources	56,075.60
Internal Revenue	5.06
Stamps	5.06
Total	\$661,107.32
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	31,794.64
Individual deposits subject to check	\$474,683.31
Certified checks	3.35
Unpaid dividends	384.50
Total demand deposits	\$475,076.17
Time certificates of deposit	60,236.51
Total deposits	\$544,312.68
Notes and bills payable	35,000.00
Total	\$661,107.32
State of Tennessee, County of Fayette.	
I, E. A. Maddox, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and gives the actual condition of said bank as shown by the books on file in said bank.	
E. A. Maddox, Cashier.	
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of March, 1920.	
R. W. Sessums, Notary Public, Correct—Attest:	
H. C. Moorman, Director.	
W. H. Leach, Director.	
W. T. Loggins, Director.	

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a robbing application of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Sold by Price Drug Co. Adv.

The Teacher Scarcity

The following report of an investigating committee of the national Educational Association hits salient and convincing points of the present teacher scarcity situation.

One hundred and forty three thousand teachers quit the service last year to go into better paid work. Their places are entirely vacant or have been filled by inexperienced, untrained people. One thousand rural schools are closed in the state of New York because there are no teachers to fill them. Four hundred schools in West Virginia are closed for the same reason. In Alabama 500 schools for whites and 500 for negroes could not open in 1919 for want of teachers. One county in Pennsylvania has 53 teacherless schools. The condition in New Jersey is so bad that the commissioner of education says: The state is facing the possibility of a demoralized and broken down educational system. As reports come in from various states the condition is found to be nationwide. The state superintendent of education in Tennessee declares that we are facing the closing of many schools next year and that even now the demand for teachers in every county is greater than the supply.

In most cases the teachers who have dropped out to enter other professions were among the best. The untrained, inexperienced people who are teaching in their places cannot be expected to do the work of trained, experienced teachers.

If parents could realize the vast waste of time, of energy and of opportunity on the part of most untrained, inexperienced teachers they would answer in unison, "Give us trained teachers for our children."

If the trained teacher is necessary, we must consider the time and the expense required for this training and pay the teacher as much as she could earn in the business world. "Unless we do this and do it speedily we are faced with closed school houses or with untrained, inexperienced people experimenting on our children while they learn how to teach."

A Texas Wonder.

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes weak and lame back, rheumatism and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—adv. tf

Statement of the Condition of the Peoples Bank

located at Rossville, Tennessee, at the close of business February 28, 1920

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$15,008.27
Bonds and Stocks	
and Warrants, (Liberty Bonds)	610.00
Furniture and fixtures	392.94
Actual Cash on hand	\$2,425.58
Due from Banks and Bankers on Demand	10,509.64
Total	\$28,946.43
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$5,900.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes Paid	2,189.86
Individual Deposits subject to check	\$17,569.70
Cashier's Checks	13.30
Total Demand Deposits	\$17,583.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	2,273.57
Total	\$28,946.43
State of Tennessee, County of Fayette	
I, J. P. Nebbut, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and gives the actual condition of said bank as shown by the books on file in said bank.	
J. P. Nebbut, Cashier.	
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of March 1920	
E. C. Plinkay, Notary Public Correct—Attest	
W. J. Murphy, Director	
T. W. Bowling, Director	
S. H. Saunders, Director	

Deaths

For the second time in two weeks the death angel has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burns and claimed for its own, little George and Clyde, their two sons. Our heart goes out in sympathy for this heartbroken family. George and Clyde were both bright boys and loved by all.

Dear mother and father sorrow not at their departure from earth for they have faded away to bloom anew in heaven, where there is no sickness or sorrow. Jesus said: Suffer little children and for bid them not for of such is the kingdom of heaven.

May God Bless this sad home in this dark hour.

Statement of the Condition of the Bank of Williston

located at Williston, Tennessee, at the close of business February 28, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$27,589.64
Bonds and Stocks	3,400.00
Banking House	1,710.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,330.00
Actual Cash on hand	\$4,327.53
Due from Banks and Bankers (on Demand)	47,880.43
Total	\$86,244.10
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$7,500.00
Surplus Fund	2,000.00
Undivided Profits less expenses and Taxes Paid	4,482.22
Individual Deposits subject to check	\$64,466.16
Cashier's Checks	214.68
Total Demand Deposits	\$64,680.84
Time Certificates of Deposit	7,581.04
Total Deposits	72,261.88
Total	\$86,244.10
State of Tennessee, County of Fayette	
I, W. J. Crawford, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and gives the actual condition of said bank as shown by the books on file in said bank.	
W. J. Crawford, Cashier	
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of March, 1920.	
T. A. Crawford, Notary Public Correct—Attest	
W. C. Crawford, Director	
J. F. Barron, Director	
H. F. Crawford, Director	

Good Health Life's Greatest Blessing

Happiness and Success Within Easy Reach of Red-Blooded Men and Women

ANEMIC CONDITION UNNECESSARY

Pepto-Mangan Makes Rich, Red Blood—Builds Up Pale, Thin Anemic Men and Women

Good health is the most important asset of life. Without vigorous, strong body and a keen, clear mind, true happiness and enjoyment are impossible. And yet so many women, and men too, whose misfortune it is to be pale, thin and anemic, hopelessly accept this condition in the belief that robust health and real happiness are not for them.

Thousands of men and women have been restored to vigorous health and lasting happiness by Gude's Pepto-Mangan. This beneficial blood tonic contains the very properties so vitally needed to improve the blood. Pepto-Mangan if taken for a few weeks, will enrich the blood and create thousands of the tiny red blood cells that are so necessary to carry nourishment and strength to every part of the body.

Pepto-Mangan is safe, beneficial, and pleasant to the taste. For convenience it is prepared in liquid and tablet form, both possessing exactly the same medicinal properties.

Be sure to ask your druggist for "Gude's" when you order Pepto-Mangan. "Gude's" is the genuine Pepto-Mangan. Look for the name "Gude's" on the package. Adv.

Publication Notice

In the County Court of Fayette County, Tennessee, at Somerville.

In the matter of Beaverdam Creek Drainage District No. 1. of Fayette, Shelby and Tipton Counties, Tennessee.

Notice is hereby given to all persons, firms and corporations concerned as lienholders, encumbrancers, encumbrances, mortgagees, mortgagees, occupants, or in any way whatever interested, whether residents of the State of Tennessee, or non-residents of this state, of the hearing of the matter of assessments and apportionment by the court at noon on March 25th 1920, before W. G. Shelton Chairman of the County Court of Fayette County, Tennessee at his office in the courthouse in Somerville, Tennessee, on the report of the commissioners herein of the apportionment of the cost of construction and basis of assessment of the lands embraced in this drainage district and when and where they can appear and be heard if they or any of them desire, and at which time and place the court hear and act upon said report of said commissioners, and any and all objections which may be made to same.

The lands embraced in said district are all the lands in said Beaverdam Creek Bottom on both sides of said creek on the land from Richard Hendricks inclusive in the 5th civil district of Fayette County, Tennessee, and extending on both sides of said creek to where the said creek empties into Loosahatchie River in Shelby County, Tennessee, and more particularly described in the petition, the report of the engineer maps, and blueprints exhibited with said report, and the report of the commissioners all of which are now on file in this cause and to which reference is hereby made for a more perfect description of said lands embraced in said district, and for the purpose of said hearing.

It is further ordered that this notice be published for two consecutive weeks in The Fayette Falcon, a weekly newspaper published in Somerville Fayette County Tennessee, and also in The Covington Leader, a weekly newspaper published in Covington, Tipton County, Tennessee, and also in the weekly Commercial Appeal a weekly newspaper published in Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee.

Done by order of the court on this 2nd day of March 1920.

C. W. CRAWFORD, County Court Clerk of Fayette County Tennessee.

Statement of the Condition of the Rossville Savings Bank

Located at Rossville, Tennessee, at the close of business Feb. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$52,126.06
Bonds and Stocks	
and Warrants, being Victory Notes and Liberty Bonds	12,950.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,952.68
Actual Cash on hand	\$6,635.85
Due from Banks and Bankers (on Demand)	75,953.05
Other Resources, Suspense Items	81.29
Total	\$149,698.93
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid in	\$14,625.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes Paid	3,386.93
Individual Deposits subject to check	\$73,649.84
Cashier's Checks	88.92
Total Demand Deposits	\$73,738.76
Time Certificates of Deposit	58,048.24
Total Deposits	\$131,787.00
Total	\$149,698.93
State of Tennessee, Fayette County	
I, J. B. Rives, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and gives the actual condition of said bank.	
J. B. Rives, Cashier	
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of March, 1920.	
F. B. Towles, Notary Public Correct—Attest	
L. G. Shelton, Director	
M. Baird, Director	
W. H. Chambers, Director	

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROWN GUINNESS (tablets) can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or dizziness in the head. E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

Flu Claims Mother and Two Daughters

At her home in the western part of the county Mrs. Stevenson wife of George W. Stevenson, died of influenza on last Thursday and the body was laid to rest in the family burying ground Friday. She was 41 years of age and was the mother of ten children, four of whom are living, four having died while quite young and two daughters died the same week as their mother, Lena, age 11, on Friday and Ruby age 18, on Monday. Influenza was the disease fatal to the three members of this family in the few days, and they leave the father and husband and three children to mourn their loss. Mrs. Stevenson was a member of the baptist church. "C"

Statement of the condition of the Moscow Savings Bank

Located at Moscow, Tennessee, at the close of business February 28, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$128,916.12
Overdrafts	961.05
Bonds and Stocks and Warrants	\$1,087.87
Banking House	3,600.00
Actual cash on hand	\$5,165.84
Due from Banks and Bankers (on demand)	54,128.48
Checks and cash items, Bonds and coupons	3,769.09
Other resources	W. S. S. Thrift
Stamps	76.52
Total	\$227,094.47
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$17,000.00
Surplus Fund	3,000.00
Undivided Profits less expenses and taxes paid	9,647.30
Individual Deposits subject to check	\$186,250.91
Cashier's Checks	312.60
Unpaid Dividends	115.00
Total demand deposits	186,678.51
Time Certificates of Deposit	10,762.81
Total Deposits	197,441.32
Other Liabilities	5.85
Total	\$227,094.47
State of Tennessee, County of Fayette.	
I, H. M. Boswell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and gives the actual condition of said bank as shown by the books on file in said bank.	
H. M. Boswell, Cashier.	
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of March, 1920.	
C. H. Reid, Notary Public, Correct—Attest:	
W. B. Franklin, Director.	
W. J. Burdison, Director.	
Junius L. Crossette, Director.	

Why Colds Are Dangerous

You are often told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will tell you: Every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious disease. People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especially from the germ disease as a cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germs of consumption, diphtheria, scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less the danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take. Adv.

Colored Teachers Meet

The colored teachers of Fayette county will hold their regular meeting in Mt. Zion Baptist church, Somerville, March 27. The meeting will open at 10 o'clock A. M.

The following subjects will be discussed: Primary Methods, Teaching English, Teaching Arithmetic, Club Work will be discussed by Prof. W. R. Davis, Farm Demonstration Agent, and Mrs. W. P. Ware, Jeanes Supervisor. This promises to be a very interesting meeting and a number of large attendance of teachers and students is expected. "C"

Grove's Tasteless chili Tonic causes vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 50c.